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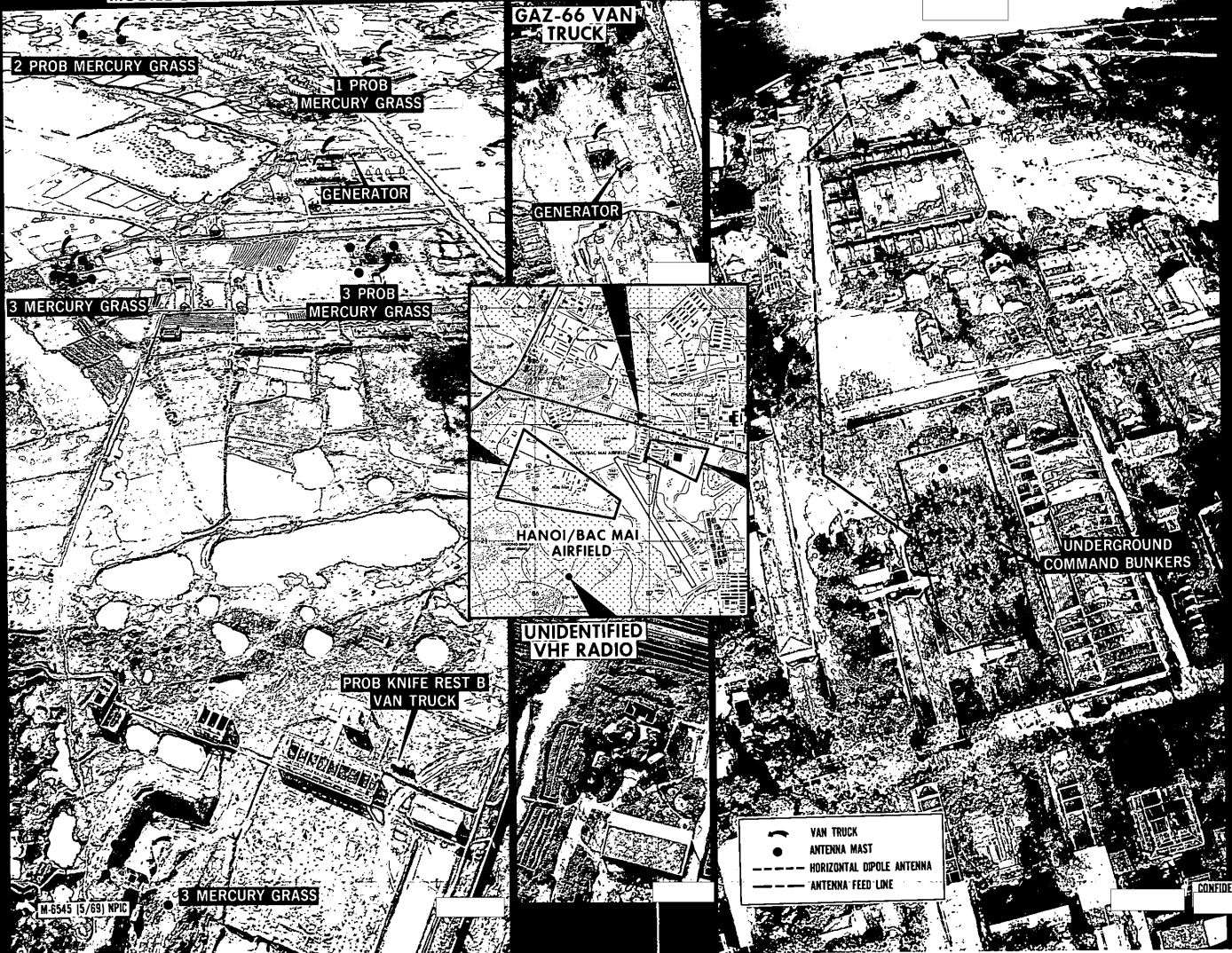
ELECTRONICS FACILITIES

HANOI/BAC MAI AIRFIELD, NORTH VIETNAM

20-59N 105-50E

MOBILE ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT

HANOI RADIO COMMUNICATIONS STATION BAC MAI EAST



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1. SIGNIFICANCE:

THIS BRIEFING BOARD DEPICTS ADDITIONAL ELECTRONICS FACILITIES
NEWLY IDENTIFIED IN THE AREA OF HANOI/BAC MAI AIRFIELD.

2. LOCATION:

IMMEDIATELY NW OF HANOI/BAC MAI AIRFIELD.

3. BACKGROUND:

HANOI/BAC MAI AIRFIELD IS THE HEADQUARTERS OF THE NORTH VIETNAMESE
AIR DEFENSE SYSTEM. TWO HF RADIO STATIONS AND 3 MERCURY GRASS VHF RADIO RELAY
ANTENNAS HAVE PREVIOUSLY BEEN IDENTIFIED IN THE AREA. (SEE NPIC BOARD N-0049)

4. MISSION READOUT:

BUMPY ACTION MISSION Q079 OF 7 MAY REVEALS NINE ADDITIONAL MERCURY
GRASS ANTENNAS AND SEVERAL MASTS AND ANTENNAS AT ONE OF THE HIGH FREQUENCY RADIO
STATIONS IN THE AREA OF HANOI/BAC MAI AIRFIELD. A TOTAL OF TWELVE MERCURY GRASS
ANTENNAS IS NOW OBSERVED, SIX NEW CONFIRMED, THREE NEW PROBABLE, AND THREE WHICH
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TRAILER, AND FIVE ADDITIONAL VAN TRUCKS ARE LOCATED IN THIS AREA.

FOUR ADDITIONAL ANTENNA MASTS WITH AT LEAST ONE ADDITIONAL HORIZONTAL DIPOLE ANTENNA ARE IDENTIFIED AT THE HANOI RADIO COMMUNICATIONS STATION BAC MAI EAST [REDACTED]. THE CONTROL FACILITIES FOR THIS RADIO STATION ARE LOCATED WITHIN THE TWO BUNKERS WHICH ARE THE PROBABLE LOCATIONS OF THE NORTH VIETNAMESE AIR DEFENSE HEADQUARTERS.

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A REVETTED VAN TRUCK AND ONE STICK MAST ARE LOCATED ADJACENT TO AN OLD CONCRETE FORTIFICATION 0.5 NM SW OF THE RUNWAY. (THIS TYPE OF VAN TRUCK HAS PREVIOUSLY BEEN REPORTED AS USED FOR AN UNIDENTIFIED VHF RADIO.)

A GAZ 66 ELECTRONICS VAN TRUCK AND A DOUBLE-AXLE GENERATOR TRAILER ARE LOCATED 0.5 NM NORTH OF THE CENTER OF THE RUNWAY.

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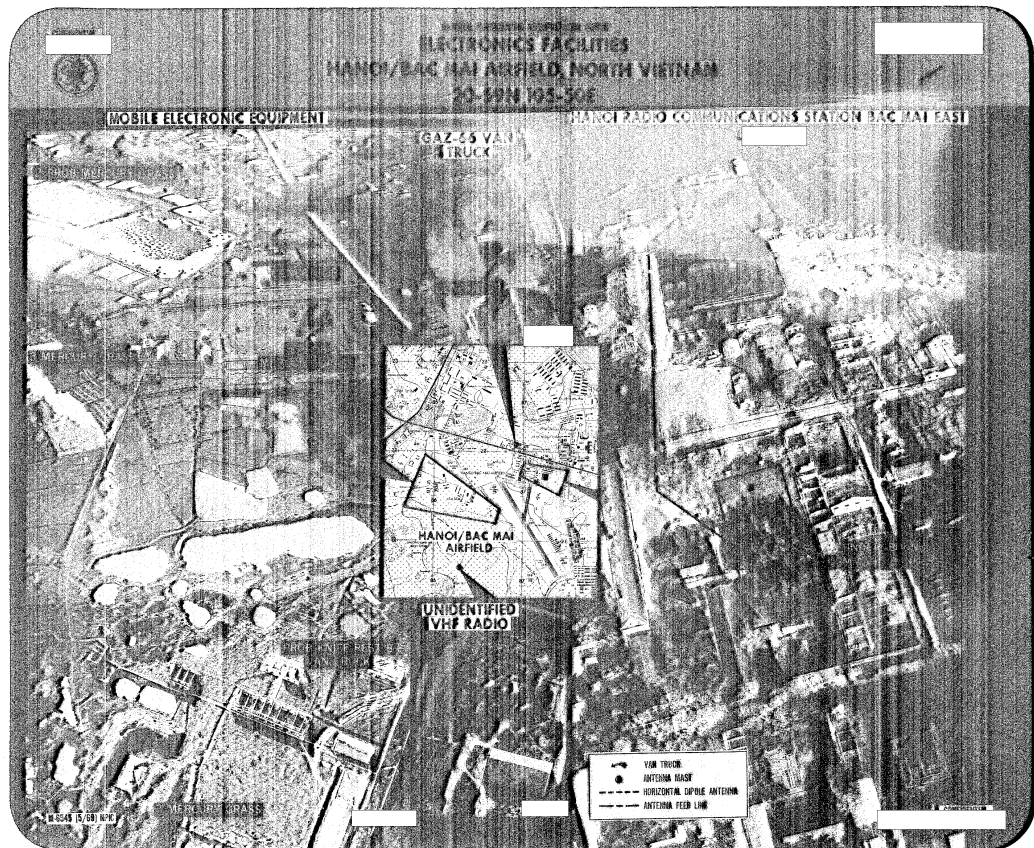
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